GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4750
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SINKING OF DRY DOCK
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a Floating Dry Dock sunk Off Andaman Coast recently;

(b) if so, whether efforts are on to salvage the same; and

(c) the reason for sinking of the floating dry dock?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir.

(c) It is being investigated by a Board of Inquiry.